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Incident Type: Building Fire

Address: 365 Bridge Street

Dispatch: 12/31/21 19:28

Under Control: 19:45

Resources: E-10, E-11, E-7, E-6, E-5, T1, T7, R-1, CAR-1, ALS-3, K-4

Description of Incident: At 19:28, companies were dispatched to a report of fire in the walls of a second story apartment at 365 Bridge Street. Upon arrival, Engine 10 personnel confirmed smoke coming from the walls in the dwelling's bathroom. The building was searched and all occupants were accounted for. A line was stretched through the side door of the building and crews opened up a bathroom wall, exposing flames, which were quickly extinguished. The incident was brought under control at 19:45. The timely extinguishment of the fire contained fire damage to the room of origin, although water damage effected the adjacent first floor apartment as well. The cause of the partition fire is classified as accidental and electrical in nature. Electrical power to two apartments were shut down, leaving these apartments uninhabitable. Property damage is initially estimated at \$5,000.

Civilian Injuries: N/A

Emergency Service Injuries: N/A

Special Circumstances: Second floor, rear apartment called for long stretch of attack line.

Fire Cause: Accidental - Electrical

Estimated Dollar Loss: \$5,000.00

Incident Commander: District Chief Jonathan Starr